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TORNADO KILLS MORE THAN SCORE

Hurricane Strikes New
Castle, Ind., With Dis-
astrous Effect.

HUNDREDS HOMES WRECKED

Suburb of Cincinnati Also Victim
Of High Wind—More Than
\$1,000,000 Damage.

New Castle, Ind., March 11.—More than a score were killed and 150 were injured, some probably fatally, in the tornado which wrecked more than 300 homes in this city late this afternoon. The damage was roughly estimated tonight at \$1,000,000, but may even exceed that figure.

The storm swept over the city in a southeasterly direction, demolishing practically two blocks wide and more than ten blocks long. For several hours the city was entirely cut off from communication.

Three Dead, Four May Die, Due To
Cincinnati Storm.

Cincinnati, O., March 11.—Three persons are known to have lost their lives, four others are probably fatally injured and a score or more less seriously hurt as the result of a tornado which wrecked about thirty houses in the residential district of Hyde Park, in the eastern section of the city, at 7:25 o'clock tonight.

CENTRAL CITY MAN DIES
HERE; HURT WHILE WORKING

Mose Payne, 40 years old, of Central City, Ky., died shortly after 7 o'clock last Friday night at Sts. Mary and Elizabeth Hospital of injuries suffered Friday morning while at work in a machine shop in that city. Payne was caught in the belt of a machine and his left foot and right arm crushed. He was rushed to Louisville on an Illinois Central train and taken to the hospital, where he was placed on the operating table in an effort to save his life. The body was removed to the undertaking establishment of John Maas & Bro., Floyd street and Broadway, and this morning will be taken back to Central City for burial. [Courier-Journal.]

HELD FOR KILLING.

Hazard, Ky., March 9.—Green White was arrested yesterday and brought to this city and remanded to jail by Circuit Judge Eversole without bail, to await the action of the grand jury, now in session. He is charged with the killing of Joe Crawford in the lower part of this county. Very little can be learned about the facts of the case, as it seems only the two men were in a room together, and after the report of a pistol persons nearby investigated and found Crawford dead with the bullet hole through his head. It is understood White will plead accidental killing.

CARLISLE—ASHBY.

(Centertown Special.)
Last Wednesday evening Mr. Rolfe G. Ashby and Miss Lottyle Pearl Carlisle, both living on Route 1, drove to the residence of our pastor, Rev. J. B. Rayburn, and were quietly married in the presence of only a few intimate friends.

These are two of our most popular young people and their many friends wish them a long, happy and prosperous journey through life.

Surprises of this kind are getting to be quite usual in this community. Wonder who will be the next lucky couple?

HOLBROOK SCHOOL CLOSED.

After one of the most successful terms for several years, the Holbrook school, taught by Mrs. I. S. Mason, closed Friday, March 3.

Despite the weather, the patrons came in about noon and delighted the teacher with one of those bountiful spread luncheons that would satisfy the taste of the most fastidious.

The literary class rendered quite an interesting program which was enjoyed by all, after which Mrs. Mason spoke interestingly on sev-

eral of the vital educational issues of the day, which was greatly added to by spirited talks by several of the patrons.

There were thirty-seven visitors present.

GOOD ROADS.

Most of our roads will be dirt for a long time, but they need not be muddy nor dusty. How can these things be true?

1. By dragging the road.
2. Opening the drains and ditches.
3. Drag the road again.
4. Run water off the road instead of on to it.
5. Use the split-log or some other drag.

6. Keep out of ruts and use wide tires.
7. Drag some more and every time it rains from your farm to the next home towards your town.
8. Begin now, as many others are doing, and you will get the largest benefit.

MISS MABREY DIES.

(Centertown Special.)

March 12.—Miss Bertha Mabrey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Mabrey, Route 1, who has been ill for the last few months of tuberculosis, died last Friday morning. The funeral services were conducted by Rev. J. A. Bennett at West Point Baptist church Saturday afternoon in the presence of many sorrowing relatives and friends.

Miss Bertha was a bright young girl just entering womanhood, loved by all her schoolmates and friends.

GOOD POULTRY RECORD.

Mrs. Frank Land, of Garrard county, comes forward with a good record which she made with her poultry in the year 1916. During the year she sold 1,130 dozen eggs, that realized the net sum of \$312.40, and other produce sold by her that year netted her \$225.55 or a total from all sold of \$537.95. At the beginning of this year she sold off her old hens for a net sum of \$117.58 and still has on hand a nice young flock of poultry with which she hopes to eclipse her record of 1916. [Bardstow Standard.]

REV. CECIL STEVENS

Preached Excellent Sermons At
Baptist Church Sunday.

The people of Hartford had the pleasure and privilege of hearing three excellent sermons at the Baptist church Sunday morning, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, and 7:30 o'clock in the evening.

These sermons were delivered by Rev. Cecil Stevens, a former Hartford boy, and crowded houses greeted him at all three services.

In the afternoon at 2:30 o'clock he administered the ordinance of baptism to twenty-eight, and one at the evening service.

Rev. Stevens, besides holding an important charge near Louisville, is on the editorial staff of the Western Recorder.

3—CASES MEASLES—3

One can hold the championship in many ways, and it doesn't matter in what way it is held, if one can boast of something no one else can, he can claim the championship in that line. So we believe Mr. T. S. Boswell, of Narrows, can lay claim to championship in the line of measles, as he has eight cases at his house—his wife and seven children.

MISS LAWLESS DEAD.

Miss Mattie Lawless, daughter of Dr. Lawless, of Narrows, died Saturday of a complication of diseases. Her remains were buried Monday in the Petty burying ground.

MARRIAGE LICENSE.

Earl Maden to Earmal Tucker.
R. G. Ashley to Lattie Pearl Carlisle.
Eden Douglas to Zura Shields.
Estill Howard to Elsie Perry.

E. F. Render, Beaver Dam, Route 2, called and renewed his subscription to The Herald. Mr. Render is one of the county's leading citizens and has been a Herald subscriber for 42 years.

The modern definition of a tightwad is any man who tries to live within his income.

BOYS OF CO. H. HOME AT LAST

Hartford Company Arrives Monday Night—
Boys All Look "No Worse For
the Wear."

Company H, Third Kentucky Infantry, arrived in Hartford Monday night from Louisville, where they have been undergoing the mustering out process for about a week.

After spending something like nine months on the border, enduring the hardships of military life, under a southern sun, the boys all look "hale and hearty," but the general opinion is that they have all had enough of the border and Mexico, and are awfully glad to get back to Ohio county again.

The Third regiment of which Co. H was a unit, established an enviable record of which any State might be proud.

SEVEN MULES DIE FROM UNKNOWN MALADY

Seven three-year-old mules belonging to Walker Keith, south of this city, have died within the past few days from some unknown malady. It is supposed however, that they were poisoned by something they ate. Dr. C. L. Smith, the Elizabethtown veterinarian, was at Mr. Keith's farm yesterday to see a mule that was sick showing the same symptoms as the others that had died, and said that nothing could be done for the animal. He blamed the feed for poisoning the mules. [Hodgenville Herald.]

SHOOTS HIMSELF IN HEAD

Arizona Fulton Ends Life Sunday—Used 22-Caliber
Rifle.

Mr. Arizona Fulton, aged between 30 and 40 years, committed suicide Sunday at his home in the Cool Springs neighborhood. The deed was committed with a 22-caliber rifle, and it is supposed that he propped the gun against something to pull the trigger as there were powder burns on his forehead.

Mr. Fulton had been saying since Friday that he "would not be here long." He lived alone on the Lincoln Bryan farm, and was thought to be insane.

He leaves two half-brothers, Joe and Adam Fulton, and three sisters, Mesdames Herman Davenport, J. W. Shultz, Columbus Kitchen, and one half-sister, Mrs. Harry Swaid.

His remains were buried in the Fulton burying ground Monday.

CORN SELLING HIGH.

Like all other farm products corn has been selling at higher prices this winter than have been known by the present generation. Yesterday about 200 bushels of corn were sold at the sale at the farm of J. C. Creal, deceased, at prices from \$1.08 to \$1.10 per bushel. The local mills have bought corn at prices passing the \$1.00 mark, and farmers in the county who have been compelled to buy corn to feed stock have paid prices of \$1 and over. Last week a farmer on the Rolling Fork sold a thousand bushels to a distillery at \$1.05 per bushel. [Hodgenville Herald.]

ALONZO MINTON DEAD.

Friday morning about 7 o'clock, Mr. Alonzo Minton, who lived on Route 2, Hartford, died of a complication of diseases.

Mr. Minton had been ill for three or four weeks.

He leaves, besides his wife, five children—all girls—two of whom are married and the other three at home.

His remains were laid to rest Sunday in Bethel graveyard.

MOVING BACK TO OHIO.

I. C. Royal, who moved from Ohio county to this county about two years ago and bought a farm in the Bruner district, has disposed of it and has moved back to Fordsville, where he also owns a farm. [Hancock Clarion.]

WHO'S ITS DADDY?

I hereby apply for membership in the Association of the Amalgamated Liars, and I especially pledge myself to tell a lie on every occasion, even when it is much better and easier to tell the truth.

BAL ARNETT.

R. W. DALKER.

A "little bird" brought the above to us and we are of the opinion that there are lots of us who belong to this order and don't know it.

TESTS FOR OIL MAY BE MADE THIS SPRING

Various oil operators who have secured oil leases in different parts of the county will probably drill several test wells in the most promising territory this spring or summer. The persons who have taken leases made the lease run for one year only, and if tests are to be made, the companies will have to drill this summer. It is highly probable that oil drilling machinery will be brought to the county sometime in April or May and drilling of several test wells begun. [Hodgenville Herald.]

HUNG JURY

In Case of Ernest Litsey Charged
With Murder of Hayden
Curtis.

After all the evidence was in and speeches for the defense by Mr. M. L. Heavrin, and for the Commonwealth by Mr. Claude Smith, the case of Ernest Litsey, charged with the murder of Hayden Curtis, at Rockport, last fall, went to the jury Thursday morning, and that body after deliberating all that day and part of Friday, reported to the Court that they were hopelessly hung. It is said that the jury stood six for acquittal and six for sentence.

The case will come up again at the July term of court.

Litsey pleaded self defense.

The grand jury has returned indictments as follows: Disturbing religious worship 2, using insulting language 1, malicious wounding 1, deserting child 3, seduction under promise of marriage 1, selling liquor to minor 1, furnishing liquor to minor 2, selling liquor without license 1, obtaining property under false pretense 1, breach of the peace 4, drawing deadly weapon on another 1, carrying concealed weapons 2, cutting timber from lands of another 1, shooting on public highway 1, permitting inebriate to drink whiskey on premises 3.

Jury Trials.

Com'th. vs. Tom Crahan, aiding prison to escape. Hung jury.

S. W. Bilbro vs J. M. Igleheart, &c., being tried.

FARM LOAN BANK HEADS ARE CHOSEN

Federal Board Announces Officers and Directors of
Louisville Bank.

Washington, D. C.—Officers and directors of the Federal Farm Loan Bank at Louisville were announced by the Secretary of Treasury as follows: Walter Howell, of Unlap City, Tenn., president and director; J. P. Beman, of Columbus, Ohio, vice president and director; James B. Davis, of Brazil, Ind., secretary and director; L. B. Clore, of LaPorte, Ind., treasurer and director; H. A. Sommers, of Elizabethtown, Ky., director, and A. C. Dulaney, of

Bowling Green, Ky., registrar and attorney.

The long deferred announcement of the personnel of officers and directors of the Louisville bank was no surprise to those members of the Kentucky delegation who remain in Washington. They were informed long ago that politics was to cut no figure in the selection of men for these positions and for that reason no Kentucky member of the Congress offered an indorsement of any ambitious constituent who sought to be appointed to position in connection with the Louisville bank. More than that, no member of delegation took more than passing interest in the prospective appointments.

HONOR ROLL.

The following have paid their subscriptions to The Herald since our last report: V. M. Stewart, Route 2, Beaver Dam; H. T. Felix, Olaton; H. C. Dever, Dundee; Dr. J. O. McKinney, Beaver Dam; J. R. Harrel, Beaver Dam; L. G. Weller, Route 1, Hartford; O. C. Hoeker, by his father, Louisville; S. C. Taylor, Route 3, Beaver Dam; B. L. Canon, Drakeboro; Dan W. Taylor, Route 6, Hartford; Roscoe Fiddle McHenry; H. A. Baird, Route 3, Hartford; P. B. Taylor, Route 1, Hartford; C. M. Baird, Route 5, Rev. T. H. Balmait, Route 1, S. L. Richeson, Route 1, I. B. Brown, Route 4, Hartford; M. W. Bell, Centertown; Q. B. Brown, Route 4, Hartford; D. C. Leach, Route 3, Beaver Dam; E. D. Wilkerson, Route 1, Beaver Dam; R. S. Jackson, Route 1, Beaver Dam; R. L. Taylor, Route 1, Beaver Dam; Amos Shown, Route 3, Hartford; Miss Edna Hudson, Hartford; A. M. Payne, Narrows; J. L. Chinn, Prentiss; J. M. Shultz, Prentiss; J. M. Mattingly, by C. F. Schapmire, Campbell Hill, Ill.; C. B. B. Felix, Barrett's Ferry; Clarence Patton, Route 5, Hartford; Richard Moseley, McHenry; G. H. Ashby, Centertown; H. P. Addington, Central City; W. B. Rowe, Island, Ky.; Lee Tichenor, Ceraivo; I. N. Lanham, Fordsville; E. F. Render, Route 2, Beaver Dam; J. T. Maddox, McHenry.

CHAMPION WALKER HERE SATURDAY

Walking from Huntington, West
Virginia, to California.

Walter B. Mieller, who claims the championship for a five-mile walk, called at The Herald office Saturday.

Mr. Mieller is walking from Huntington, W. Va., to Sacramento, Cal., and will return via Washington State and Minneapolis, Minn., endeavoring to complete the trip in two years. He is not walking against time or for any record.

Meiller broke the world's record in Lexington Feb. 4 when he walked a mile in 6 minutes and 22 seconds. He was a former professional ball player.

He carries a letter from the Governor of West Virginia to the Governor of California. He left here for Hopkinsville.

LOUISVILLE LIVE- STOCK MARKET

Louisville, Mar. 13.—Hog receipts 6,576 head. The supply was of good volume and the market slow, with prices 15c to 25c lower. The best hogs, 165 pounds and up, \$14.85; 120 to 165 pounds, \$13.85; pigs \$10.35@11.60, and roughs, \$13.65 down.

CATTLE.
Receipts 1,269 head, as against 1,102 last Monday, 954 last year and 1,079 two years ago. The market ruled considerably more active than last week and prices advanced on nearly all kinds. The best heavy-weight butchers sold full 25c higher than last Monday; medium and common kinds, 10@15c up.
Prices ranged from \$5.00 to \$10.25.

CALVES.
Receipts 110 head. The market ruled steady. Best veals, 10 1/2 @ 11c; medium and common kinds unchanged.

SHEEP AND LAMBS.
Receipts light. The market ruled quiet and unchanged. Choice lambs, \$12.00@13.00; seconds, \$9.00 @ 10.00; bulls, \$6.00@9.00. The best fat sheep, \$7.50@8.50; bucks, \$7.50 down.

GEN. GARRANZA WINS EASILY

Chosen President By Largest
Vote Ever Cast
In Mexico.

NO DISTURBANCE REPORTED

First Real Election in History of
Country, Declare Old
Residents.

Mexico City, March 11.—Gen. Venustiano Carranza was to-day elected President of Mexico by what is believed to have been the largest vote ever cast in the republic. Although the voters had the privilege of writing in or declaring any name they desired, Gen. Carranza received all but a few scattering ballots. The estimated vote cast runs all the way from several hundred thousand to a million.

The Presidential election to-day was provided for in articles adopted by the Constitutional Assembly which met at Queretaro. Many of the old residents declare that this was the first real election ever held in the country. Reports from various parts of the republic indicate that there was no disturbance or intimidation.

BIRTHDAY SURPRISE.

Prentiss, Ky., March 12.—The many friends and relatives gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Gentry on March 11, 1917, to surprise Mrs. Gentry with a birthday dinner, that being her 63d birthday.

Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. Estill Taylor and son Frank, Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Pendley, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Burgess, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Taylor and children Clyde, Mildred, Leonard and Rhoda, Mr. and Mrs. George McMillan, Mrs. Ernie Johnson and son Wilbur, Mr. and Mrs. Moscow Taylor and daughter Virginia, Mrs. Mattie Gentry, Mrs. Mattie Nannay and son Clifford, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Patterson, Mr. Dudley Plummer, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Southard and children Hobert, Corbett, Pearl, Gordon, Thomas, Ollie, Gladys Lillian and Edwin, Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Taylor and two children Salem and Molly Bertha, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. French and children Lena, Allen, Litter, Golda, Bessie and Ella O'dell, Misses Gusta Cooper, Onie Brackin and Ruth Barnes.

May that day long be remembered as a pleasant one.

ONE PRESENT.

MARCH DELIVERY

POULTRY POOL SOLD

At Owensboro, Ky., Saturday, March 10, 1917, sealed bids. It includes the following points, viz:

Hawesville, Lewisport, Maceo, Owensboro, Stanley, Reed, Olaton, Fordsville, Whitesville, Philpot, Dundee, Hartford, Centertown, Krohn, Island, Livermore, (Calhoun to be delivered to Livermore) and Utica.

Watch all papers for prices that will be published in plenty time for you to deliver your poultry. Will take every thing brought to cars at pooled prices. Highest prices ever paid, at any of the above points. Everybody bring your poultry.

L. N. ROBERTSON,
Manager American Co-Operative Association.

NOTICE TO FRUIT GROWERS.

We will have Mr. Lester Hill, of the State University, at Lexington, with us in pruning and spraying demonstration work at Beaver Dam Monday afternoon, March 19th, Centertown, Tuesday afternoon, March 20th, and Hartford Wednesday morning at 9 o'clock at Judge J. B. Wilson's orchard and from there to Mr. R. B. Martin's orchard and would be glad for all who are interested in fruit growing to come and meet him and bring their individual fruit troubles to him and learn how to save your orchards. Come to either one of these places most convenient to you.

W. W. BROWDER,
County Agent.

Some people bury the hatchet, but leave the handle sticking out for future emergencies.